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FORMER SECRETARY OF THE RUSSIAN SECURITY COUNCIL TO TESTIFY BEFORE NATIONAL SECURITY COMMITTEE

Former Secretary of the Russian Security Council and possible future candidate for president of Russia, General Aleksandr Lebed will testify before the Military Research and Development Subcommittee of the House National Security Committee on Thursday, March 19, at 2 p.m., in room 2118 of the Rayburn House Office Building.

General Lebed is expected to testify on a wide range of issues relating to U.S.-Russian relations and national security, including nuclear and missile proliferation, the condition of the Russian armed forces and the implications of military economic and social problems for Russia's future, NATO enlargement, and the implications of competing Russian and Western interest in developing the oil reserves of the Caspian.

The Military Research and Development subcommittee is chaired by Congressman Curt Weldon (R-PA).

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